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OCTOBER 10, 1872.

LIST OF PREMIUMS.

SECTION 1.—LIVE STOCK.

For the best bred Bull of any age	$20 00
do second do do	10 00
do best bred Bull Calf, calved after Jan. 1, 1872	10 00
do second do do do	4 00
do best yearling Bull	7 50
do second do	4 00
do best two year old Bull	10 00
do second do	5 00
do best three year old	7 50
do do do	4 00
do best Cow of any age	7 50
do do do	4 00

SECTION 3.—SHEEP.

For the best bred Ram Lamb	5 00
do second do do	2 50
do best yearling Ram	5 00
do second do do	2 50
do best Ram of any age	10 00
do second do	5 00
do best pen of five Ewe Lambs	5 00
do second do do	2 50
do best pen of five Ewes	7 50
do second do do	4 00

SECTION 4.—HORSES.

For the best bred Stallion for Agricultural purposes	20 00
do second do do do	10 00
do best brood Mare with foal at foot	10 00
do second do	5 00
do best two year old Colt or Filly	5 00
do second do	2 50
do best span of Draught Horses	10 00
do do Carriage Horses	5 00
do best Saddle Horse	5 00
do do	2 50

SECTION 4.—PIGS.

For the best bred Boar of any age	5 00
do second do	2 50
do best Brood Sow, with or without litter,	5 00
do second do do	2 50
do best Breeding Sow, under 12 months,	5 00
do second do do	2 50

FIELD PRODUCE.—Section 1.

For the best bushel of Wheat	5 00
do second do	2 50
do best bushel of Chevalier Barley	5 00
do second do do	2 50
do best bushel of Oats,	2 50
do second do	1 50
do best bushel of Peas of any color	1 50
do second do do	1 00
do best sample of Hops, not less than 100 lbs	5 00
do second do do do	2 50

SECTION 2.

For the best twelve Swedish Turnips	2 50
do do White Turnips	2 50
do do Turnips other than Swedes	2 50
do do Roots Mangold Wortzel	2 50
do do Carrots	2 50
do best six Cattle Cabbage	2 50

POULTRY.

For the best pair of Turkies	2 50
do do Geese	2 50
do do Ducks	2 50
do do Spanish Fowls	2 50
do do Dorkin	2 50
do do Fowls of any other kind	2 50
do do Rabbits	1 00
do heaviest dozen of Eggs (single yolk)	1 00

DAIRY PRODUCE.

For the best sample Butter, not less than 5 lbs	5 00
do second do do	2 50
do best sample Firkin Butter, not less than 50lb	10 00
do second do do do do	5 00
do best Cheese, not less than 10 lbs	5 00
do second do do	2 50

FRUIT.

For the best twelve Apples	2 00
do second do	1 00
do best twelve Pears	2 00
do second do	1 00
do best four Melons	2 00
do second do	1 00
do best twelve Plums	2 00
do second do	1 00
best collection of Fruits grown by one exhibitor	5 00
do second do do do	2 50

VEGETABLES.

For the best bushel of Potatoes, sample of not less than one bare	5 00
do second do do do	2 50
do best three varieties of Potatoes, one-half bushel of each	3 00
do second do do	2 00
do best collection of Vegetables, to consist of the following varieties: six Cabbages, six Let'uces, six Parsnips, six Carrots, two Vegetable Marrows, three Cauliflowers, six Celery, six Beets, twelve Onions, and twelve table Turnips,	15 00
do second best collection of Vegetables, to consist of same varieties	10 00
do best collection, consisting of the following: two Cucumbers, two Pumpkins, twelve Tomatoes, and two Squash,	5 00
do second best collection, consisting of same	2 50
do best sample of Onions, not less than ¼ bush.	2 50

FLORAL.

For the best collection of Flowers	10 00
do do do by amateur florists	5 00
do second do do do do	2 50
do best Boquet do do do	2 50
For the best Fancy Needle Work	5 00
do second do do	2 50

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, &c.

For the best Plough made in the Province.	10 00
do second do do do	5 00
do best pair of Harrows, made in the Province	5 00
do second do do	2 50
do best one horse Hoe, do do	10 00
do second do do do	5 00
do best one horse power Chaff Cutter, (with or without power), made in the Province	20 00
do best Reaper and Mower combined, or other wise,	20 00
do best Thrashing Machine	25 00
do best Turnip Cutter	5 00
do best Pulper	5 00
do best Carding Machine	5 00
do best Spinning Machine	5 00
do best general assortment of Horse Shoes	5 00
do best Farm Waggon	10 00
do best Dump Cart	5 00
do best barrel of Flour made in the Province	20 00
do best assortment of Boots and Shoes do	20 00
do best assortment of Harness made in the do	15 00
do second do do do	5 00
do best barrel of Ale do do	5 00
do best sample of Preserved Salmon, in tin 1 or 2 pounds	5 00

All Stock to be entered before 6 o'clock, A. M., of the day of the Show, but entries can be made with the Secretary any time previous to that date.

Cattle Pens will be provided for all Stock entered as above.

All animals must be properly secured, or they will not be allowed in the Show Yard.

SCALE OF ENTRANCES FEES FOR NON-SUBSCRIBERS:

Animals, each Class $1; Agricultural Implements, $1; Field Produce, 50 cents; Dairy Produce, 50 cents; Fruit, 50 cents; Vegetables, 50 cents. No charge for entrance to Subscribers.

All Prizes will be paid on the ground.

COMMITTEE:

H. NATHAN, Jr., M. P., R. MITCHELL, T. ALLSOP
W. DALBY, E. MARVIN.

☞ Application has been made to the Dominion Government to allow Machinery and Agricultural Products for exhibition from the neighboring Territory of the United States to come in free of duty, provided they be re-exported within seven days.

Any further information can be obtained from the undersigned

THOS. RUSSELL,
Secretary.
At the office of T. Allsop & Co., Government St. au17dw

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

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Livery and Sale Stables,
J. T. DUNLOP, Proprietor,
Has on Hand
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AND
Good Saddle and Carriage Horses.
Broad street, East side of Fort street.
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MERCHANTS,
AGENTS FOR THE BRITISH AND FOREIGN
Marine Insurance Co.
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We cheerfully add Dr. B's Card to our columns, convinced that his good taste and judgment, united to natural skill and ingenuity, aided by an extensive practice of upwards of thirty years, render his services more valuable and reliable than those of any other dentist on the Sound, Coast or Island. For details, see daily Colonist.

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THE STEAMER
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DR. CHING FUN—A CARD—STETSON STANDARD—Through the medium of your paper I want to state the very great good that has been done me by Dr. Ching Fun of this city, first deaf & wong Lee & Co. For 24 years I suffered with neuralgia on the brain, which baffled the skill of three first-class American physicians. Latterly bronchitis attacked my right lung, and my eyes became wholly inflamed. Despairing of ever being cured I accepted myself as a last resort in the hands of Dr. Ching Fun, and after five months treatment I am a well man and feel that I cannot sound the eminent Chinese gentleman's praises too loudly, and that all my countrymen similarly affected may visit and find relief. Respectfully,
JOHN HENTON, of Kentucky, U. S.
Victoria, 23d Sept. 1870. au23

Partnership Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING FORMED a copartnership will from this date carry on the business of butchering, cattle dealing, &c., in the premises at present occupied by Mr. John Vaughan, Fort street, and solicit the continuance of the public patronage. The best meats of all kinds kept on hand and delivered free of carriage to any part of the city. The highest market price paid for beef cattle.
JOHN VAUGHAN.
JOHN WOODS.
Victoria, B. C. 11th September, 1872. se12

Lumber for Sale.

A QUANTITY OF LUMBER LYING NEAR Foster's wharf, Esquimalt, for sale in lots to suit.
Apply to
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se10 (Colonist copy) Near the Club.

Homestead For Sale.

LOT 202 ON THE NORTH SIDE OF FORT street, between Blanchard and Quadra, adjoining Mr. Hayward's. There are a good dwelling house on the lot; also, a well of good water and all necessary out houses.
ALSO,
Half of lot 206 on View street, in rear of lot 201, with the 5-roomed cottage thereon.
Apply to
au17 GEO. MANSELL, View street.

For Sale.

THE HOUSE AND FURNITURE NOW occupied by me. Terms one third cash, balance one and two years credit.
Apply to
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Matrimony.

A FARMER IN GOOD CIRCUMstances, who lives about 40 miles from Victoria, is desirous of making the acquaintance of some young woman with a view to matrimony.
Address C. B. Standard Office.
N. B.—Photographs will be exchanged. se18 1mdaw

THE STEAMER MAUDE

WILL RESUME HER REGULAR Trips to the East Coast, leaving Victoria on Saturday, and Nanaimo on Tuesday Mornings.
se18

Found.

THE UNDERSIGNED ON SUNDAY Last found a sum of money on the road leading to pharrah. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying expenses.
MRS. HELGESEN,
se19 Hotchkein.

New Advertisements.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
26th July, 1872.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that under and to carry out the provisions of "The Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages Act, 1872," the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has divided the Province into the following Districts, and appointed District Registrars, as set opposite each such District respectively, except in the Districts comprising the Electoral Districts of Victoria City and District, Esquimalt and Cowichan Districts, which being hereby constituted one District for the purposes of the said Act, the Registrar General is ex officio District Registrar under the said Act; and, further, that the boundaries of such Districts are, in every instance, the precise boundaries of the respective Electoral Districts or Divisions as described in a Proclamation under the hands and seal of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, dated 29th September, 1871:—

District No. 1, to consist of the Electoral Districts of Victoria City and District, and Esquimalt and Cowichan.

District No. 2, to consist of the Electoral Districts of Nanaimo and Comox.—District Registrar, F. Trevor, Esq.

District No. 3, to consist of the Electoral Districts of New Westminster City and District.—District Registrar, F. G. Claudet, Esq.

District No. 4, to consist of the Electoral District of Yale.—District Registrar, W. C. Berkeley, Esq.

District No. 5, to consist of the Polling Division of Clinton and Cornet Creek, in the Electoral District of Lillooet.—District Registrar, C. E. Pope, Esq.

No. 6, to consist of Polling Division of Lillooet, in Electoral District of Lillooet.—District Registrar, E. Tynon, Esq.

District No. 7, to consist of Electoral District of Cariboo (except the Polling Division of Omineca).—District Registrar, H. M. Ball, Esq.

District No. 8, to consist of the Polling Division of Omineca, in Electoral District of Cariboo.—District Registrar, W. H. Fitzgerald, Esq.

District No. 9, to consist of Electoral District of Kootenay.—District Registrar, A. Vowell, Esq.

By Command,
A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
jy29 Provincial Secretary.

Dunville Whiskey,
IN CASES OCTAVES & QUARTER CASKS,
For Sale by
au14 FINDLAY DURHAM BRODIE.

MESSRS.
GRIMAULT & CO,
of Paris
BEING NOW IN A POSITION TO RE-supply the Province with their
PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS
They beg to inform the Public that their Preparations of
Hypophosphate of Lime,
Matico,
Pepsine,
Phosphate of Iron,
Iodized Horseradish,
&c., &c.
May be found with their Agents for British Columbia
Messrs. LANGLEY & CO.,
jy10 3m YATES STREET, VICTORIA.

"The Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages Act, 1872."
NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that from and after the 1st day of September next, all Births, Deaths and Marriages within the Province of British Columbia, are to be Registered under the provisions of "The Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages Act, 1872," at the office of the District Registrar of the District wherein the event respectively shall take place; and within the time following, that is to say:

BIRTHS—Within 60 days from the date thereof.
DEATHS—Within 30 days after interment.
MARRIAGES—Within 30 days from the date thereof,

by the Minister, Head of a Family, Clergyman, Householder, or other person or persons, required by the said Act to report Births, Deaths and Marriages, who refuses, or wilfully neglects to do so, within the times before named will be liable to a penalty for each and every offence of not less than Five dollars or more than Twenty Dollars, to be recovered in case before any Justice of the Peace having jurisdiction within the locality where any such offence is committed against the said Act.

By Command,
H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Registrar General.
Land Registry Office, 27th August, 1872. au26
(Mainland Guardian and Cariboo Sentinel copy.)

NEW GOODS
JAMES CROSSEN
YATES STREET.

HAS RECEIVED A LARGE STOCK of New Goods from the Auction stores of Newhall & Co., and Greenbaum & Co., San Francisco, and J. P. Davies & Co., Victoria, consisting of

Gent's & Youth's Clothing,
Ladies', Misses', and Children's Hats
of the Latest San Francisco Styles, and a large variety of other Goods, all of which as he has bought cheap for cash, he will sell cheaper than they can be bought in any other store in the city.

HATS from 25 cts. and upwards. se19

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VIEWS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA AND VICTORIA,
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Fashionable Boot and Shoe Maker,

RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCES TO the Citizens of British Columbia that he has opened a Boot and Shoe Store at the above address, where he is prepared to make

LADIES', GENTS', AND CHILDREN'S
BOOTS, SHOES AND GAITERS,
Latest in the Styles and of the most Reasonable Rates. se19

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

Esquimalt Graving Dock.

THE GOVERNMENT OF BRITISH Columbia are prepared to receive Tenders for the construction of a Graving Dock, on the Naval Station, Esquimalt Harbor, under the guarantee provided in the Twelfth Section of the Terms of Union of this Province with the Dominion of Canada, with Section 5 in the following words:—

"The Dominion Government shall guarantee the Interest for ten years from the date of the completion of the work, at the rate of five per cent. per annum, on such sums, not exceeding £100,000 sterling, as may be required for the construction of a first class Graving Dock at Esquimalt."

The Dock to be of masonry, and of not less than the following dimensions:—

Length on floor 270 feet.
Do. over all 400 feet.
Width between copings 50 feet.
Do. on floor..... 45 feet.
Do. of entrance..... 80 feet,

to afford a depth of water on the sill of not less than 30 feet at high water springs, and to be substantially constructed to the approval of Government, upon a site to be provided by the person whose tender is accepted.

Further particulars as to site, borings, &c., may be obtained from T. A. BERNARD, Esq., Chief Engineer to Government, upon application in writing to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Tenders must specify the time within which the Dock will be completed, and must be accompanied by drawings and descriptions showing exact dimensions, materials, and mode of construction of proposed Dock.

Tenders are to be sealed, superscribed "Tender for Esquimalt Graving Dock," addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, British Columbia, and delivered at his Office before noon of the 16th day of November, 1872.

Persons who may consider the above guarantee to be insufficient, are at liberty to tender on the basis of such supplemental guarantee by the Provincial Government, or upon such other financial indemnity, as they may suggest.

The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

Each tender must be accompanied by a Bond for a the Contractor, and two sufficient sureties, for the payment of £10,000 to Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, conditioned upon the due performance of the tender with the accompanies, provided it be accepted, within three months from the said 16th November.

By Command.
GEO. A. WALKEM,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Office,
Victoria, April 27th, 1872. ap29daw

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

RE BANKRUPTCY:

A DEED bearing date the 23rd day of September, 1872, made between James Fell and John Finlayson, both of Fort street, Victoria, Vancouver Island, trading under the name of Fell & Finlayson of the first part and Mathew Trotter Johnson, George James Finlay and John Rueff all of the city of Victoria, aforesaid, of the second part, conveyed and assigned in manner therein mentioned all the estate and effects for the benefit of all the creditors of the said James Fell and John Finlayson, except as therein mentioned and the execution of said deed was attested by Montague William Tyrwhitt Drake, Solicitor, the said deed was brought into my office for Registration on Wednesday the 25 of September, 1872, at the hour of 11:30 A. M., and was duly registered by me according to the provisions of Bankruptcy Act, 1962.
RICHARD WOODS,
Registrar.
Registrars Office. se26

SWITZER & CO,
Tanners, Curriers
AND MANUFACTURERS OF
BOOTS, SHOES & M.I.L. BELTING
BELMONT, Esquimalt District.
Lowe, Stahlschmidt & Co.,
AGENTS.

We have commissioned Messrs. Wm. DALBY & CO. to purchase Hides and Skins on our account.
se19 1m SWITZER & CO.

THE STANDARD
LIFE ASSURANCE CO.
ESTABLISHED 1825.
CONSTITUTED BY SPECIAL ACTS OF PARLIAMENT.

Special Notice.

THE COMPANY'S BUSINESS YEAR will close on 15th NOVEMBER, 1872, and in order to secure the advantage of this year's entry to the Profit Scheme, proposals should be lodged with the Agents on or before that date. The next Division of Profits will take place in 1875.

THE STANDARD is one of the oldest and most extensive institutions existing in Great Britain for the Assurance of Lives. It was established in Edinburgh in 1825, and its progress has been most remarkable. The Funds, invested chiefly in Mortgages on the security of Lands, amount to upwards of Four Millions Sterling, and its income at this date exceeds £700,000 per annum. The Surplus Funds divided among the Policyholders at the Eighth Division of Profits in 1871, amounted to £331,501 15s.

ANNUAL REPORT
1872.

The following results were communicated in the Report.

Amount proposed for Assurance during the year 1871 (2180 Proposals).....	£1,289,737 0 0
Amount of Assurances accepted during the year 1871 (1810 Policies).....	£1,041,097 0 0
Annual Premiums on new Policies during the year 1871.....	£38,302 15 6
Claims by Death during the year 1871, exclusive of Bonus Additions,.....	£264,561 2 0
Amount of Assurances accepted during the the last five years.....	£5,866,629 1 2
Subsisting Assurances at 15th November, 1871.....	£19,912,366 7 2
(Of which £307,260 15s is Re-assured with other Offices.)	
Revenue upwards of.....	£700,000 0 0
Invested Assets upwards of.....	£4,600,000 0 0

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The Daily Standard.
Monday, October 7, 1872.

The Canadian Army.

We know of no more striking illustration of the growing strength of the Dominion of Canada than is afforded by the statistics relating to the military organizations of the country. Ten years ago the militia systems of the various Provinces which are now embraced within the Dominion, if it can be truly said they had any systems at all, were of the most rude and defective character; nothing like a martial spirit pervaded the masses of the people; of a knowledge of military tactics they were profoundly innocent; and as for how to handle a rifle, they the major portion of those whose names were enrolled on the lists as active militiamen, if armed with Snider rifles, would not if called upon be able to hit the side of a house at a distance of fifty yards. Within the period of the last decade the militia system of the Dominion has undergone a most thorough change, and instead of such untrained rabbles as used to meet in the spring of every year for "training," according to the provisions of the statute in that case made and provided, which consisted simply in being drawn up in anything but a straight line, answering to their names as they were called over by the "Captain," giving three cheers for the Queen, and then retiring to the nearest hotel and liquoring up a thoroughly organized force, carefully trained in the most approved system of tactics, armed with the latest and best description of small arms, divided into regiments and battalions, and headed by officers of education and experience, has taken their place, and probably there is not a country in Europe with a like population possessed of a more complete military organization, or that could send to the field an army of better drilled men. The official report of the militia for the military year 1871-2 shows what marked progress has been made both as regards numbers and efficiency. At the last enrollment in 1869, a contemporary states, the enrolled reserve militia, comprising every man liable for military service, numbered 656,066 men. In 1871 it had increased to 694,008. Out of the total number borne on the rolls of the Active Militia at the close of the military year 1871-2, 34,414 officers and men underwent the annual training, of whom 22,544, with 1,996 horses, were assembled at brigade or division camps of exercise for sixteen days' continuous drill, and were paid and supplied under ordinary regulations; while 8,760 officers and men performed the annual drill at corps headquarters, or, in case of many garrison batteries, at certain forts where they were put through a short course of gun drill and practice. Hitherto these latter have been chiefly trained as infantry, but in 1871, the services of competent ex-officers and non-commissioned officers of the Royal Artillery having been obtained, the garrison batteries have been trained to the use of their proper arms, and have fired the regulation allowance of shot and shell. The field batteries have also received due gunnery instruction. A great step in advance has been taken by the establishment of two schools of artillery under the command of specially trained officers of the Royal Artillery. These schools have not only been employed for purposes of instruction, but also as permanent garrison batteries to guard certain forts hitherto occupied by the Imperial troops. The engineer and cavalry branches of the service are small as yet, there being only between 1,500 and 1,600 officers and men in the whole Dominion enrolled in the cavalry. They are, however, said to be very efficient. The men are fairly drilled, well armed, clothed and equipped, and remarkable for their discipline. But the Canadian military authorities are by no means content with imparting theoretical instruction; for all over the country troops were assembled in camps and practised in field manœuvres. It is to the credit of the officers commanding that these manœuvres were carried on in such a manner as to prove that the changed conditions of modern war, and the modifications in tactics consequently rendered necessary, are as fully recognized in Canada as in the most advanced schools in England. Hitherto the militia system of the Dominion has been conducted upon the voluntary principle, but it is found that that principle does not on the whole work satisfactory. In some cases it is with the greatest difficulty, yea impossible to fill up the companies, and hence a strong feeling is growing up, shared in it is said by the Adjutant-General himself, that the time has arrived for making the service in the Active Militia compulsory. The obligation already exists, but the law has never yet been put in force. It is believed, however, that a change in this respect will soon take place, "and when it does," says a contemporary, "the military position of Canada will be strong indeed. Even without reckoning British Columbia, where the reserve militia system is only now being introduced, the Dominion numbers nearly 700,000 men between the ages of 18 and 60 liable to military service. In the course of six years a large proportion of these will have passed through the Active Militia—already indeed many have done so—and will thus be fairly trained soldiers. Even as it is, 30,000 men, thoroughly fit to take the field, could be assembled at any point on the frontier within three or four days, and these would have in support a reserve of 670,000 men, of whom 13,000 men would belong to the Active Militia." With such an army of well-trained men, capable of taking the field at a few days notice, is it at all probable that old Mother England cherishes a desire to cast off her Canadian sons and sever the links that bind them to her? The colonies are the main pillars of England's strength and greatness; they are every day becoming more and more powerful, and while she has such dominions as Canada and Australia to stand by her in case of need, she will be in a position to defy her enemies and command the foremost rank among the nations of the earth.

New Advertisements.

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PRACTICAL WELL BORER and Miner. Orders left at this office will be promptly attended to. oc7

Wanted
A FEMALE SERVANT for a Family of Six, no washing done in the house. Inquire at STANDARD OFFICE. oc7

NOTICE,
Prices of Admission to Show Grounds
FAMILY TICKETS.....$2 50
ADULT'S TICKET (Gentleman and Lady).....50
CHILDREN'S TICKETS.....25
Subscribers of $2 50 admitted FREE.
The Judges will meet at 9:30 A. M.
The Grounds will be thrown open to the Public at 1 o'clock, P. M. oc7

PROVINCIAL
EXHIBITION BALL
ON THURSDAY EVENING, OCT. 10th,
AT ALHAMBRA HALL.
TICKETS—Admitting a Gentleman and Ladies—$1 50, can be had from the Committee: Messrs. Dalby, Plummer and Vinter. oc6

FURNITURE SALE.
J. P. DAVIES & CO,
Have received instructions from
Capt. H. W. Mist, R. N.,
TO SELL BY
PUBLIC AUCTION
At his Residence Maple Bank
Friday, Oct. 18th, 1872
AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M. Sharp,
Household Furniture
Cows and Calf, Horse, Pony Phaeton, New Harness, First class Skiff with Oars, Sails, etc. Turkeys, Chickens and Pigeons,
Elegant Rosewood Case English
Piano and Lot of Music.
Double barrel Gun in case, Violin, Singer's Sewing Machine, Parlor and Lawn Croquets, Perambulator, Yosemite Engravings, and Laurel Frames.
Brass and Iron Bedsteads, Cooking and Parlor Stoves, Spring and Hair Matrasses, Blankets and Counterpanes, Washstands and Furniture, Looking Glasses, Blinds, Mahogany Cornices and Curtains, Traveling Chests of Drawers, Baths and Chairs, Glassware, China, Clocks, Wardrobe, patent Washing and Mangling Machine, Carpets, Garden and Stable Tools, Bear, and other Skins, Water Filters, Colza and Coal Oil Lamps, Table Forks and Spoons, Cruets and Tea Spoons, Napkin-Rings, Oil Paintings.
Small Library of Choice
Books, Magazines, Reviews
Mahogany Easy and Cane Chairs, centre and side Tables, Whatnots, Ornaments, Guard Fenders, Sofas, Couches, Set Chess and Draftsmen, Etc., Etc.
ALSO
Balance of Ale, Sherry, Champagne, Stores, &c.
☞ Goods must be removed on day of Sale
TERMS CASH.
oc7 J. P. DAVIES & Co, Auctioneers

REAL ESTATE SALE.
J. P. DAVIES & CO.
Have been instructed to sell by
PUBLIC AUCTION,
AT THEIR
Salesroom, Wharf Street.
Monday, Oct. 21, 1872
AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,
All the following Valuable Property, Situate in Victoria District and being generally known as the
Spring Ridge Property,
Containing the Acreage as hereinafter mentioned, same being more or less:
FIRST, Section (20) containing 1 74-100 Acres,
SECOND—Section (38) do 1 Acre
THIRD— do (47) do 1 Acre
FOURTH— do (54) do 1 Acre
FIFTH— do (57) do 1 Acre
SIXTH— do 64 do 1 Acre
Terms of Sale:
One half Cash as soon as sold, the balance to bear interest at 9 per cent per annum, payable monthly in advance. If the balance of the purchase money be paid on or before the expiration of four months, no interest will be charged on same.
Agreements of purchase at expense of the sellers.
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New Advertisements.

AUCTION SALE

Messrs. J. P. Davies & Co.
Have received Instructions from
S. J. SPARK, Esq.,
PAYMASTER IN CHARGE,
TO SELL BY
PUBLIC AUCTION
AT THE
NAVAL YARD, ESQUIMALT.
BY ORDER OF THE
SENIOR NAVAL OFFICER
On behalf of the
Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty
Her Majesty's Steamship
"SPARROWHAWK,"
Monday, Nov. 11, 1872
AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,
As she now lies at wharf alongside the Dock Yard, Esquimalt, together with Machinery, Sails, Rigging, Anchors, Donkey Engine, Pumps, Tanks, Spare Gear for Machinery, Condenser, extra Yards and Mast, Hose and Pipes, Binnacles, &c.
1871 FATHOMS, 1¼ inch CHAIN CABLE, Etc., Etc,
DESCRIPTION OF SPARROWHAWK
Length Overall.....100 feet
do between perpendiculars 180ft. 8½in
Breadth of Beam.....28 ft 5½ in.
Depth of Hold.....13 ft. 11 in.
STYLE OF RIG
Three Masted Schooner, Lower Rigging Wire, Topmast Rope, 860 tons actual, 676 tons Registered, her draught of water loaded, forward 10ft 10, aft 12ft 2. Sails in good condition, part new. Funnels new in February last.
MACHINERY.
Direct Action Engines, 60 horse Horse-power, built by Humphrey & Co., Cylinder 3 feet 6½ inches, Length of Stroke 2 feet 2 inches and the propeller can be hoisted for sailing purposes.
ALSO, AT SAME TIME
20 Tons Coal on Board,
An entire new Condenser, not yet placed in position.
Two Whale Boats and 1 Cutter with Sails, Oars and Boat Hooks,
3 Steering, 1 Azimuth and 1 Standard Compass.
N. B.—The sale will commence with a quantity of Condemned Stores—Rope, Canvas, Etc., of which due notice will be given.
☞ Full particulars of Spare Gear, Pumps, Stores, Etc., with plan of Hold will be ready for delivery on Thursday, 10th October, at Salesrooms.
oc7 J. P. DAVIES Auctioneer.

J. C. TRACY.
AUCTIONEER & COMMISSION MERCHANT.
CONSIGNMENTS of Fruit, Flour, Butter, received by every steamer.
Salesroom St. Nicholas Building, Government Street.
Regular Sales every Wednesday at 11 o'clock.
Consignments solicited. Prompt Returns and moderate charges guaranteed.
☞ Sales attended in any part of the city or vicinity. Best city reference given.
Will Sell at Salesroom,
Wednesday, October 9th,
AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.
A large variety of
STAPLE GOODS.
INCLUDING:
Choice Groceries,
Cheese, Hams, Bacon,
Tea and Tobacco.
ALSO
Clothing, Shirts and Drawers,
Hosiery, Notions,
Furniture, Bedding, Shawls, &c.
Also at 12 noon precisely
SEVERAL FINE GOLD WATCHES
☞ Consignors please send goods in early.
J. C. TRACY,
oc7 Auctioneer.

New Advertisements.

AUTUMN GOODS.
EX "CORSICA" VIA SAN FRANCISCO.
A very Large Assortment of
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, &c.,
For the Wholesale Trade, Arrived by "Prince Alfred."
TURNER, BEETON & TUNSTALL,
WHARF STREET. se11

FARM FOR LEASE OR SALE.
A FARM IN LAKE DISTRICT IS FOR Lease or Sale, Four Miles from Town, and containing 135 Acres, more or less, with the privilege of cutting Cordwood on a portion of the property.
There are 30 acres under cultivation; 20 acres can be easily cleared, and with plenty of good timber.
The farm is surrounded with a good fence, nine rails high.
There is also a good dwelling house, farm and outhouses
Colquitz river runs through the Property, and close to the dwelling house is a never failing supply of Water. Good Garden and Orchard.
For particulars apply on the premises.
oc3d4w ROBT. FISH.

NOTICE.
THE BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA will pay depositors on Money Specially lodged, Interest at the following rates:
4 per cent. per Annum Subject to 15 days notice of withdrawal.
5 per cent. per Annum subject to 30 days notice of withdrawal.
HENRY A. TUZO,
Victoria, 1st October, 1872. Manager. oc3

SADDLERY.
New Goods Suitable for the Coming Season.
H. T. HAHN & CO. are just opening several packages containing a variety of New Goods in their line, in which are included a fine assortment (the first imported into this Province) of
JOCKEY COLORS.
They have also received considerable additions to their already extensive stock of Horse Clothing, Whips, Bridles, Saddles, &c., to which they would invite the inspection of the Public.
FORT STREET, VICTORIA. se25

AT THE VARIETY STORE
—OF—
WM. ANDEAN.
WILL BE FOUND A LARGE AND Varied assortment of New and Second-hand Goods all of which will be disposed of at extremely Low Figures
HIS STOCK CONSISTS IN PART OF
Books, School Desks and Stationary,
Hats, Caps, and Underclothing,
3 Green Venetian Blinds, and English Grates,
Some Fine Engravings, by the best Artists.
1 Small Set of Pony Harness,
Photographic Apparatus,
Mineral Specimens,
Pocket and Table Cutlery.
ALSO
A small lot of Ladies' and Children's Boots which will be closed out at low figures.
A lot of Extra Heavy Woollen Overshirts.
REMEMBER IT IS
GOVERNMENT STREET, Opposite St. Nicholas Hotel. se26

1872. FALL RACES. 1872.

THEIR USUAL FALL RACES WILL take place on
BEACON HILL,
ON
Friday, 11th October, 1872.
(The day following the Provincial Show.)
FIRST RACE.
HURDLE RACE—Single dash of two miles. Entrance $5 with $50 added. Weights 10 stone 10.
SECOND RACE.
THE AGRICULTURAL PURSE—Entrance $5 with $50 added. Mile heats best twoin three, open to Island bred horses only. Catch weights.
THIRD RACE.
INNKEEPERS PLATE—Entrance $7 50 with $75 added. Mile heats; best two in three. Weights 9 stone.
FOURTH RACE.
TROTTING MATCH—Under Saddle—Two miles, entrance $5 with $50 added. Catch weights. Any horse loping over 20 yards will be disqualified.
FIFTH RACE.
SCURRY STAKES—1 mile; $25. Entrance $1. Catch Weights.
The first race will start at 12 noon, sharp.
STEWARDS:
H. Nathan, M. P., Doctor Davie, A. Keast, Esq.
STARTER—C. Green, Esq.
JUDGE—A. Bunster, Esq., M.P.P.
TREASURER—T. Russell, Esq.
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RULES.
Three Horses to start in each race to be the property of different owners or the public money will not be added.
All disputes to be settled by the Stewards, or whosoever they may appoint, whose decision shall be final.
Jockies to be at the starting post ready to start, five minutes before the appointed time.
Jockies to ride in Colors, and to be declared at the time of entering.
All entries to be made to the Secretary at the Grotto Saloon, between 5 and 8 P. M., on Wednesday, 9th October.
Price of Booths $10, application to be made at same time.
By order of the Committee,
FRANK SAUNDERS, Hon. Secretary.
N. B.—Messrs. McNiff and F. Saunders are authorized to collect subscriptions. oc10

GENERAL ABSTRACT
Showing the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of British Columbia within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements for the Quarter ending 30th September, 1872.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in Circulation	$182,749 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$ 86,198 81
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	19,461 00	Gold and Silver Bullion	21,650 25
Deposits not bearing Interest	379,826 37	Landed and other Property	31,450 00
Deposits bearing Interest	83,542 30 463,368 67	Balances due from other Banks and Branches	44,434 51
		All debts due to the Bank including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description excepting Notes Bills and Balances due from other Banks and Branches	854,130 10
Total Amount of Liabilities	$665,579 09	Total Amount of Assets	$765,331 16
Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of the Quarter ending 30th September, 1872			$1,400,000
Rate of last dividend declared to the Shareholders			Six per cent per Annum
Amount of last dividend declared			84,000
Amount of reserved profit at the time of declaring such dividend			35,000

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.
VICTORIA, B. C., 30th September, 1872.
I, William Curtis Ward, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Assets and Liabilities within this Province of this Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the Provisions of the "Banking Act 1864."
WM. C. WARD.
Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 2nd day of October, 1872 (Signed)
A. J. LANGLEY, J. P.
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VICTORIA HOUSE.
NEW FALL GOODS.
Received by Steamer Prince Alfred.
COMPRISING THE NOVELTIES OF the Season in Hats, Bonnets, Feathers, Flowers, Ribbons, Laces, Velvets, Silks, Poplins, Cloth and Velvet Mantles, Dress Goods, Trimmings, &c., &c.
ALSO---A full assortment of Staple Goods.
WILLIAM DENNY, Manager.
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CANADIAN CLOTHING.
SANFORD, VAIL & BICKLEY,
Clothing Manufacturers,
HAMILTON, ONT.
We have been appointed Wholesale Agents in British Columbia for the above Firm, and have now ready for inspection samples of their Manufacture, which are of very superior cut and material.
TURNER, BEETON & TUNSTALL,
WHARF STREET.
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NEW GOODS!
Ex Prince of Wales and Steamship California.
A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF
DRY GOODS AND CLOTHING,
LIQUORS, GILMAN'S STORES, &c.
Findlay, Durham and Brodie.
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IRON ROOFING.
Received ex Prince of Wales,
22 cases Galvanized Sheet Iron,
GUAGES 24, 26, 28.
GALVANIZED IRON RIDGING,
Guttering, Buckets, &c.
Also a Consignment of
Braly's Corrugated Galvanized Iron.
This is made of the finest Tin Plate Iron, and is consequently much lighter and better than other roofings made, effecting a saving in freight and covering capacity of twenty per cent.
Turner, Beeton & Tunstall
WHARF STREET. Sept 11

GEORGE'S MARKET
JOHNSON STREET,
(Next to Blum's Dry Good Store)

DEALER IN

VENISON & GAME
of all Kinds when in Season. oct 2m

FIRE DEPARNMENT,
Election Notice.
IN ACCORDANCE with the provisions of the "Firemen's Protection Act, 1865," Notice is hereby given, that an election for Chief Engineer and Assistant Engineer of the Victoria Fire Department will take place on Monday, October 7th, at the Deluge Engine House, Yates street. A Polls will open at 10 o'clock A. M. and close at 4 P. M.
CHARLES GOWEN,
se28 President, V. F. D.

The Daily Standard

Monday, October 7, 1872.

The Dominion Public Works.—Further Appointments.

Surveyor General B. W. Pearse, Esq., has been appointed Engineer in the Province, of the Federal Public Works Department, and has received instructions to commence the erection of the new buildings, so long and anxiously look for. Mr. C. McK. Smith, it is rumored, will be architect. There will be the Custom House and Post Office, the N. W. Penitentiary, the Lighthouse at entrance of Barclay Sound, the removal of the "Sister's" Rock. We congratulate Mr. Pearse, whose long and efficient service in the Lands and Works Department of this Province, merits the promotion. We understand the salary is but $2,500, whilst Mr. Pearse as Surveyor-General of the Province, received $2,500.

The Pavilion Races.—At the Pavilion Mountain in the first day's (25th Sept;) races the Lillooet purse best 2 in 3, was won by Sally, owner Mr. Grainger. The Farmers' purse was won by Mr. Craig's Cariboo Charlie. Pavillion Mountain purse, best 2 in 3, was won by McKay's Cariboo Charlie. Sept. 27th.—Second day. The Innkeeper's purse was won by Kitty Clyde, entered by Wart, best 2 in 3. The Colonial purse won by Morrison's Gipsey, one mile dash. The Pavilion Derby, 1½ mile dash, won by Vandercar's Gipsy. Michael McCarthy's horse New Brunswick won the Consolation Stakes and Cup. Numerous races came off not enumerated. There is a great crowd present and everybody is well pleased. The following are names of horses which were in training: Oregon Mose, Tinker, Sallie, Alice, Senorita, Dick, Jane, Blaze, Turantala, White Stockings, Immigrant Dick, Cariboo Charlie, Kitty Clyde, Kangoot.

Passenger List per Prince Alfred, San Francisco, October 6:—E. A. Bernard, Henry Woodham, Sam. Lingard, J. Barr, J. Vidder, H. S. Hutchinson, C. B. Jennings and wife, C. Pearce, five Sisters of Charity, Father Seghers, Miss E. W. Stahley, Miss M. J. Ragan, Mrs. A. J. Smith, Miss England, Miss A. Hoskins, Miss Pendergast, Mrs. Doane, Capt. Nickels, Mrs. Mitchell, Richard Phillips, A. Fellows, Mrs. Nowlands, Mrs. Jamieson and daughter, Miss Jenny Aiken, and 22 passengers in the steerage.

Naval.—H. M. ships Sparrowhawk and Boxer were paid off at Esquimalt on Saturday, and the crews received leave of absence until to-morrow, when they will be drafted into H. M. S. Scylla for passage to Valparaiso. After the paying off of the Sparrowhawk the men were ordered aft, and Captain Mist made a parting speech, at the conclusion of which three cheers were given for him, and three cheers for Lieut. Rosse, the First Lieutenant of the vessel.

Lytton-Lillooet Trail.—The Government are expending the $1,500 voted last year for improving the trail between Lytton and Lillooet. The work is carried on under Superintendent Stevenson. Farmers and others who have passed over the trail say he is making a splendid job of it. They pronounce it much shorter and having less grade than the old one.

The Rifle Match.—The match at the Clover Point butts on Saturday, for Lieutenant Scott's medal, resulted so far as the Victoria volunteers are concerned—as below,—five shots at each of 200, 400, 600, and 800 yards ranges. Lieutenant Roscoe, 35; Quarter-Master Sergt. Hallandaine, 44; Sergeant John Wilson, 53,—scoring 15 at 800 yards; Private Butler, 54; Bumfray, 43; Kennedy, 34.

From the Mainland.—The Enterprise arrived from New Westminster at 4 p. m., on Saturday, with 25 passengers, the Cariboo mails, etc. Among the passengers were Mrs. Bonwick, Mrs. Colbraith, Mrs. Dickson, Mrs. Crozier, Chief Justice Begbie, Messrs. Dupont, E. B. Marvin, Welch, Bowie, Hutcheson, Brown, Loggie, Ballou, and Fannin.

Presbyterian Church.—Rev. Mr. Grant, accompanying Mr. Sandford Fleming, and who was expected to preach at St. Andrew's Church yesterday, didn't arrive as expected, and of course the many who had hoped to hear him preach, were disappointed. There is a probability, however, of hearing him next Sunday.

Accident.—A dray horse belonging to a Mr. Jones, fell into an old uncovered well at the rear of Mr. Trounce's residence, on Friday, and although every effort was made to get the animal out, the poor beast died in the pit.

Fire Department Election.—The election for Chief and Assistant Engineers for the ensuing year comes off to-day. The poll will open at the Deluge Engine House, Yates street, at 10 a. m., and close at 4 p. m.

Furniture Sale.—Captain Mist's furniture is advertised for sale by auction. The N. W. *Guardian* says it is likely that the Captain will take a trip to the Sandwich Islands, and afterwards return to this Province.

Police Court.—Saturday.—Two sailors belonging to the Naworth, just arrived in port, were up on Saturday charged with robbing one of the hands of the same vessel. The case was remanded until to-day.

The Prince Alfred.—A dispatch to Brodrick & Co., dated the 5th, states the steamer Prince Alfred sailed for Victoria with fifty passengers and two hundred tons of freight.

The Lunatic Asylum.—Superintendent Sharpe will receive until Wednesday the 9th inst., tenders for supplies for the use of the Lunatic Asylum. See advertisement.

From Nanaimo.—The steamer Grappler with the Black Diamond in tow, arrived yesterday morning from Nanaimo, with coal for Brodrick & Co. Mr. F. Garesche came in her.

The Agricultural Exhibition.—A notice appears in "new advertisements" in respect of entrance fee; also with regard to the ball, in connection with the Show.

It was reported at New Westminster when the Enterprise sailed thence on Saturday, that two cases of small-pox had broken out in that city.

The Sale of the Sparrowhawk.—Messrs. Davies announce this morning particulars of the sale of H. M. S. Sparrowhawk.

For the East Coast.—The Maude left on Saturday morning for Nanaimo and way ports with a few passengers.

Our New Judge.—Letters and packages have arrived, addressed the Hon. *Chief Justice* Gray.

Our Weekly Summary of Mainland News.

The Upper Country.

The Lytton flouring mill has been running for the last two weeks, turning out an excellent quality of flour. Produce quotations are as follows:—Wheat, $2 75 to $3. Barley, 3c. Hay, $1 75 to $2. Extra flour, $5 75. Shorts, 2c. Bran, 1½c.

The Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works has ordered the erection of a new jail at Clinton.

Queenelmouth, Sept. 27.—Gardiner, with a large mail, and Sylvester with an express and $6,000 in gold, arrived from Omineca to day. They left Mansen Creek Sept. 19th.

Several parties were getting ready to start for the Oaslinka river, Peace River Smith having brought in news of good prospects found there. A large number of men, among whom are Sam Wilkinson, Fred. Hart, Cariboo Harper and Vital, have left with a year's grub for the Rocky Mountain portage, to winter there, and in spring start for Lizzard river.

About 80 men are working on Germansen creek and taking out pay. About 250 on other creeks.

The country as far as Nation river was under snow and weather cold. The mail leaves again on October 5th.

The Cariboo *Sentinel* observes with regard to a sample of potatoes grown on Nelson creek: "They certainly afford evidence of what may be done even in this climate in the way of producing good vegetables. We might here also state that Mr. Green, the constable, has succeeded this season in raising some very good full-headed cauliflowers in his well kept garden behind the Court house and jail."

The Cariboo Amateur Dramatic Association gave a performance on the 21st ult., choosing the original and romantic drama of "The Seven Clerks," or "The Three Thieves and the Denouncer." The following persons took part in it: Miss Florence Wilson, and Messrs. Isaac Fisher, Gomar Johns, Frank Perrit, Mr. Sullivan and Mr. Hudson.

The ordinary annual general meeting of the Williams Creek Bed-rock Flume and Ditch Company is called for Monday evening, Oct. 14th, at the office, Richfield.

Mr. Tom Spence arrived on the creek and was engaged getting out timber for the purpose of connecting the two slab bulkheads at the upper part of the town and repairing the old one. It will be a benefit to the town; but want of funds stand in the way of making a complete job.

The Wesleyan Church have just received from Victoria a handsome harmonium for use during divine service.

Lower Country.

The profitable manufacture of beet sugar is about being tested at New Westminster by Mr. E. Picht. New machinery has been erected for the purpose, and the cultivation of the root this season has been very successful.

The first ravine bridge was torn up on Wednesday, and the finishing touches are being put to the roadway that is to replace it.

The *Guardian* says the Douglas is expected up to do further work at the sandhead buoys. The North Sandhead buoy has disappeared. There is a want of a harbor master, or light-house inspector, or some officer to look after these matters.

The same journal states, the Hudson Bay Co. have kindly promised to carry all exhibitors and produce for the Victoria Agricultural Exhibition free. Every effort will be made to raise the prizes asked for by the Mainland visitors.

And again the *Guardian* writes: It may not be generally known that from the imprudent haste shown by our late city fathers, in adopting the Municipalities Act for New Westminster, the only place yet brought under its operation, they strangled the late Council so that all the resolutions passed since that Act was adopted are null and void. A new election will therefore require to be held immediately.

Mr. Sandford Fleming's Movements.

Mr. S. Fleming and party left Yale at 12 M., on Friday, the 4th inst., on steamer Onward for New Westminster, calling at Hope to take on board Messrs. Welch, Bowie and Moody, they being on a visit to the Hope Silver Mine. After half an hour's detention she bid farewell to Hope and steamed on her way to New Westminster, calling at Chilliwack, Sumas and Langley to exchange mails, and arriving in New Westminster at 10 p. m. Mr Fleming and party went to the Colonial Hotel and were entertained by the Hon. H. Nathan and a few invited friends, to a supper. On Saturday, the 5th inst., Mr. Fleming and party, accompanied by Mr. Nathan, Senator Carrall, H. Nelson, Esq., M. P., and the New Westminster City Council, would leave at noon in a four-horse coach to survey the surroundings of Burrard Inlet, and where they would meet the steamer Sir James Douglas; and proceed to Bute Inlet, expecting to return in time to go down by the next steamer to California. It was uncertain whether Mr. Nathan and Senator Carrall would accompany Mr. Fleming to Bute Inlet. The Douglas was met by the Enterprise at 12 M. on Saturday abreast of the lightship, bound for Burrard Inlet to take on board Mr. Fleming and party. Later—We learn that Senator Carrall and Mr. Nathan would accompany Mr. Fleming to Bute Inlet.

The Origin of Stanley's Mission to Africa.

The London newspapers are full of praise to the indefatigable correspondent of the *Herald*. The London *Telegraph* speaks of the origin of Mr. Stanley's going to Africa as follows:

"The manner in which this successful expedition was originated will rathe astonish geographical societies. It was an idea of young Mr Bennett, at that time staying in Paris. He telegraphed for Mr Stanley, then resident in Madrid, and he, not knowing what business was in hand, left instantly, arrived at the Grand Hotel, Paris, at eleven of the night, and went at once to Mr. Bennett's room. That gentleman was in bed. 'Come in, Sir! who are you?' 'My name is Stanley,' answered the young correspondent. 'Ah, yes!' replied the New York journalist; 'sit down—glad to see you. Have you any idea where Livingstone is?' No! 'Well, I think he is living and is to be found. Will you try to find him?' 'Yes!' 'Good; you can have an unlimited credit. Use your own means, carry out your own plans. Good night!' Thus the *Herald's* expedition in search of Livingstone was set on foot. Mr. Stanley was a man to act upon such laconic commissions. With an almost exhaustless fund of information, of fertile expedients, determined courage, and unceasing perseverance, he is always ready for duty, and therewithal modest as to his success."

How the British Museum is Kept Up.—The British public never grudges money for that magnificent institution, the British Museum. Among the "Supplementary Estimates" just laid before Parliament are the following; A sum of £2,600 for the purchase of nine Egyptian Papyri of very historical interest; £3,000 as a moiety of £6,000 required to complete the excavation at the Temple of Diana at Ephesus; £10,000 for coins and medals to be selected for the collection of the late Mr. Wigan. The annual votes for the purchase of coins and medals are to be reduced by £500 until the reduction, supplemented by the amounts arising from the sale of duplicates, shall reach £10,000

That original cheap and easy Shaving shop at Fred Payne's, on the sunny side of Johnson street.

By Electric Telegraph.

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY STANDARD

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

EUROPE.

London, October 4—Mr. Isaac Butt, "Home Rule" member of Parliament for Limerick, delivered a lecture last night in that city, and advocated union; he was moderate in demands for Ireland. He referred to the public directions of Huntington, Russell, and Montague, as favorable to the cause of Home Rule, and advised a return to Home Rule to members of Parliament. He closed with a declaration that if the demands were rejected they would act, but at present their plans could not be disclosed.

Authority is given for the contradiction of the report that the ex-Imperor Napoleon intends to visit Ireland.

Madrid, October 4—The Government has determined to send 140,000 men to the army in Cuba.

London, October 5—A son of Sir Stafford Norcott died yesterday.

A dispatch from Yokahama, dated Sept. 27th, announces that two-thirds of the treasure lost by the burning of the steamship America, is recovered.

A Cabinet meeting is called for Wednesday next, to transact important business,—the nature of which is not reported.

Advices from Bombay say the cholera is disappearing.

A Paris correspondent of the *Times* telegraphs that the Russian Ambassador in that city has received a note from the chief secretary of the Emperor's Privy Council, withdrawing the congratulations which the Emperor had tendered Thiers, expressing the dissatisfaction of Russia at the aggressive attitude of the Radical party in France.

Madrid, Oct. 5—The report that the Spanish Government would make a claim against the United States for damages inflicted by filibustering expeditions upon Cuba, is pronounced untrue.

Paris, Oct. 5—Journals have opened subscriptions to relieve the Alsatians who left their homes and claimed French citizenship.

EASTERN STATES.

Boston, October 4—The woollen house of Gilbert & Lorejay has suspended. Liabilities understood to be about $200,000.

Geneva, N. Y., October 5—Rodney Adams, late proprietor of the Geneva *Courier*, and one of the ablest editors in Eastern New York, is dead.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 5—The body of a suicide at Steinway's Hall is identified as Mr Stevison, recently from San Francisco. He had in his possession a large amount of diamonds and jewellery, the loss of which by robbers is supposed to have unsettled his mind.

New York, Oct. 5—The bank statement shows a decrease of over $2,000,000 specie.

Chicago, Oct. 5—The most intense interest is felt in all political circles in the State elections in Ohio, Pennsylvania and Indiana on Tuesday. Both parties confidently claim Indiana by 10,000 majority. The Democrats appear to feel pretty certain of carrying Pennsylvania. The Republicans, however, have advices which lead them to believe Hartcraft will have 12,000 to 15,000 majority, and carry Indiana by 8,000 to 10,000.

Chicago, Oct. 5—Ohio is generally conceded by the Democrats here to the Republicans.

A Washington special says the Republican State Committee estimates on three States are: Pennsylvania, 15,000; Ohio, 23,000; Indiana, 10 000. All advices from the latter State indicate that the contest will be one of the most exciting ever occurred; both parties were exerting themselves to the utmost. The aggregate will be very large.

Washington, Oct. 5—The State Department has advices from the Northwest Boundary Commission, which states that but little progress is made in locating the 49th parallel. The expedition will soon return to the United States for winter quarters.

WEST INDIES.

Kingston, Jamaica, October 4—Advices state that in another attack upon the British settlement at Orange Walk the Yucatan Indians numbered about 5,000. The garrison made a gallant defence, killing and wounding a number; two soldiers were killed, six wounded; one civilian was killed, and seven wounded. The Indians pillaged the town of thirty or forty thousand dollars.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco, Oct. 5—Flour, $6 25@$5 50.
Wheat, $1 60@1 62½.
Barley, $1 15@1 25.
Oregon Oats, $1 82½.

At the race at the Agricultural Park, mile heats, 3 in 5, for a purse of $7,500, the "Maid" won in three straight heats; time—2:25, 2:18, 2:22. The attendance was very large.

Have we a Provincial or Preventive School System?

Editor Standard:—It seems the Government and Board of Education, like the oyster when spatting-time comes, opens its shell and a kind of mistiness is observable in the surrounding water. It appears too, from the action of the acting Superintendent, who is the mouth-piece of the Ministry upon educational matters, that they are desirous of evading the provisions of the School Act, perhaps to wriggle out of it all together with a view of replenishing their over estimated exchequer. That they are not in favor of extending the public school system according to the provisions of the statute, and that the Board of Education and the Superintendent are to be made the cats paw for this purpose, is very clearly evinced by the actions of the parties. Sub-section 11 of section 7 of the School Act defining the duties of the Board of Education, reads as follows: To establish a separate school for females in any district where they may deem it expedient so to do, and such school when so established may be presided over by a female teacher or teachers, but otherwise shall be subject to the same obligations and regulations as public schools generally under this Act. Now a female school having been established, the Board of School Trustees, who are a corporate body under the Act, are the only persons authorized by law under the 30th section of the Act to do whatever they shall judge expedient with regard to the building, repairing, renting, warming, furnishing, and keeping in order the district school houses, and in fact everything else in connection with the schools, and finally to see that the schools in their district are conducted according to law. It follows then that if the Board of Education should mistake any portion of their duty, the School Trustees as a corporation have power to correct them, and it also follows that if the Superintendent of Education should by way of obstruction, refuse to endorse the application of the School Trustees for such sum or sums of money as may be required by them to pay the salaries of the teachers in their district, and to defray all other necessary and current expenses connected with the schools under the provisions of the Act, the Trustees have power to compel him to do so, and the sooner the Trustees begin to exercise that power the better; and he is further bound by the Act to do all in his power to persuade and animate parents, guardians, and teachers to improve the character and efficiency of the Public Schools, and to secure the sound education of the young generally. I would like to know what section of the Act confers authority upon the Board of Education to say that they are not in favor of providing any further accommodation for the female children of the city or what section of the Act leaves it optional with the Superintendent to refuse to endorse the application of the School Trustees for money to carry on the schools in their district, under the provisions of the Act. The Board of Education and the Superintendent are simply preliminary machines in the Act, whose duties are specially defined by law, with a view to enable the School Trustees to work successfully the entire machinery, as contemplated by the letter and spirit of the statute. Now all this is very simple and plain, and should the Board of Education or the Superintendent refuse or neglect to do what they are bound under the Act to do and execute, the Trustees as a corporate body should compel them in the usual way to do their duty. With them rests the successful working of the public schools, and with them alone rests the power to compel others connected with the schools to do their part, and if they are lothe in exercising the power they possess, the sooner they resign the charge of the schools into the hands of others who will exercise the power conferred upon them by the Act, the better for the entire community. According to the census of 1871 there were 530 female and 558 male children in this city, and in order to provide for the education of these 1088 children, it was the duty of the Trustees under sub-section 3 of section 6 of the Act, to apply to the Governor in Council for money to meet the educational expenses of those 1,088 children; and it was the duty of the Governor in Council to grant the required sum. This is what the statute law says, and if the statute is not complied with, legislation is a solemn farce. The question now arises, have the Trustees made proper application for money, and if so have they been refused by the Governor in Council? This seems scarcely possible, although it appears that there is nothing impossible in our day, inasmuch as the Ministry has created a tenant for His Honor, who pays him $65 per month of the money which he receives from the public crib. Now if the money has been refused to the Trustees, why not let the fact be known to the public in order that they may prepare themselves to instruct their representatives in this matter, and turn the Ministry out of office? The refusal of a requisite sum of money to the School Trustees by the Governor in Council would be a direct violation of the statute. Out of the 1088 children in the city, 170 odd females are now crammed together into the Old Presbyterian Meeting House in Broughton street, with only two teachers; and 120 odd boys are attending the school at the head of Fort street, with only two teachers more, whilst a newly created functionary receives $3,800 per annum, a sum about equal to what is paid to the four school teachers put together. The endorsing Superintendent is at present drumming up children in the mountains of Cariboo, and announcing lectures upon educational matters. According to last census there were only 11 children, big and little, in that district, whilst 78 children in Cedar Hill district, the sons and daughters of honest farmers, the bone and sinew of the country, are now running at large through his neglect. Let him hurry back to the capital; his presence is needed here just now, to lecture to the 1088 children, and their parents. No doubt he will have an appreciative audience whilst he demonstrates to them the utility of hiving together 170 odd human beings in a building 30x45, with a pulpit included, and only two teachers. Will the School Trustees do their duty without any further delay, and let the public know where the hitch lies?

Victoria, Oct. 4th, 1872. Z.

Action for Libel Against a Newspaper.

[Liverpool Mercury Aug. 15th.]

Clark v Todd—Mr. Torr, Q. C. and Mr. Kirby were counsel for the plaintiff; and Mr. Holker, Q. C. and Mr Crompton for the defendant. This was an action for libel brought by the plaintiff, a butcher at Earlestown, near Warrington against the defendant, who is the publisher of the *Warrington Examiner*, the libel complained of being the statement contained in a paragraph which appeared in that paper that the plaintiff had stabbed his wife, who "remained in a precarious state." It was admitted by the defendant that there was no foundation for the report; and the plaintiff stated in the witness box what gave rise to it. His wife, he said, was one day washing in the back yard, and he called her to come in doors. She refused, and he shut the door, upon which she thrust her hand through the window, and severely cut her wrist. After the publication of the libel the plaintiff's attorney wrote to the defendant asking for the name and address of the person who communicated the intelligence, demanding a full and complete retraction of the statement, and requiring the defendant to pay a sum of £20 to the Warrington Dispensary or some other charitable institution and the costs of the application. The defendant in the next issue of his paper (the 6th of June) published in prominent type an apology, but not mentioning the plaintiff by name, on the ground that such a repetition would only aggravate the original misstatement. Not only was this apology published, but the defendant sends the paper containing it to the plaintiff, accompanied by a kindly letter of regret. The plaintiff through his solicitors still persisted in his demand of the correspondent's name, and the payment of a solatium to some charitable institution, but the defendant declined both. It was suggested that the correspondent who supplied the information of the "stabbing case" to the *Examiner* was actuated by malicious motives, and Mr. Torr laid stress on the fact that the plaintiff's name was omitted from the public apology. Mr. Holker submitted to the jury that the defendant had made the greatest possible amend. In his power, and that the smallest amount in the shape of damages would recompense the plaintiff. The judge, in summing up, told the jury that if they believed the alleged libel was founded upon a mistake which occured in the course of business, and that the moment the mistake was discovered everything was done that could reasonably be asked to repair it, then they would mark their opinion by the amount of damages they gave. It was said that the action was not brought to recover damages, but to clear the plaintiff's character. That was always said in cases of this kind, and it was maintained in this instance that the plaintiff's character had not been cleared by the apology the defendant had published because his name did not therein appear; but his lordship put it to the jury whether, if the plaintiff's character were again attacked, anything could more completely clear it than the printed retractation and the defendant's written letter. The jury, after a short consultation, said they wished to give a verdict for the smallest sum that could carry damages. The Judge told them that they must give definite damages, and not trouble themselves with the law. The Foreman then said they found for the plaintiff—damages 40s. Mr. Torr said after the expression of the opinion by the jury he should ask his lordship to testify for costs. The Judge; I think that in course of law this action ought not to have been proceeded with and I therefore will not help you. I think it was as ample apology as a newspaper publisher could make for a mere slip of a reporter. Costs refused.

Telegraphing in Chinese.—The problem of telegraphing in the Chinese language, to write which requires some 50,000 different characters, has been solved in this way: "A few thousand of the characters most used are cut upon wooden blocks. On the opposite side of each block is its number. Duplicates of such numbered blocks are at each telegraphic station. The China merchant selects the block which expresses the thoughts to be transmitted. The operator telegraphs only the numerals designating these blocks, which enables the receiving operator to select similar blocks at his end of the line."

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

Consignee Notice.

THE BARK HAWORTH, Captain Kelly from London, will commence to discharge cargo at Sproat & Co.'s Wharf this morning.

Goods left on the wharf after 5 o'clock P. M., of each day, will be stored at the risk and expense of consignees. Consignees are requested to pay freight to the undersigned, by whom delivery order will be issued.

SPROAT & CO.

Wharf street, October 3rd, 1872. oc6

HENNESSY'S *** BRANDY.

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NEAR FORT STREET.

W. LUSH, - - Proprietor.

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JAMES WHITE

AN OLD SETTLER OF TWENTY-FIVE years standing, begs to inform his friends and the public that he will open on to-morrow Evening (Saturday) October 5th, at 7 o'clock, the above establishment with the Best

Wines' Liquors and Cigars.

All friends are invited to attend. oc4 3m

TENDERS

WILL BE RECEIVED up to 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday the 9th inst., at the Post Office, addressed to E. A. Sharp, Superintendent Lunatic Asylum, for the supply of the following articles for the use of the Institution in 1872.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

Colonial Butter, salt, ℔ lb
Tea, English Congou, by chest or half chest, ℔ lb
Sugar, moist, Sandwich Island No. 2 per ℔ lb
do. loaf, San Francisco, A 1, ℔ lb
Rice, China, per mat of 50 lbs
Oatmeal, Scotch, in tins of 25 lbs, ℔ lb
do Colonial, per bag of 112 lb ℔ lb
Salt, fine Liverpool, per sack of 112 lb
Pepper, black ground in tin or bottle ℔ lb
Mustard, Colman's Bulls Head in tin ℔ lb
Candles, Belmont Sperm, per box of 80 or 25 lb
Coal Oil, Devoe's, 5 gall. tins, per tin
Corn Starch, Kingsford's, Oswego, per box of 20 lb
Coffee, ground, manufacturers name to be given, per 2 lb tins.
Potatoes, Carrots, Cabbage, Onions, Rossnips ℔ lb
Bread, best wheaten per loaf of 1½ lbs. ℔ lb
Beef, Mutton and Pork ℔ lb
Milk, new ℔ gall.
Eggs, fresh per doz.

Tenders may be made for any or all articles enumerated.

All articles to be of the best quality.

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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.
30th September, 1872.

THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to form a Pilot Board, in conjunction with Captains J. Swanson, J. A. Raymur, W. H. McNeil, Members of the existing Board, viz:

CAPT. J. COOPER,
" W. R. CLARKE,
" H. G. LEWIS,
R. P. RITHET, Esq.
T. L. STAHLSCHMIDT, Esq.

By Command.
ALEX. ROCKE. ROBERTSON,
Provincial Secretary.

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Notice.

BARK HAWORTH, from London.—Neither Captain Kelly nor the undersigned Consignees, will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above named vessel.

SPROAT & CO.

Victoria, B. C., October 3rd. oct

Auction Sale.

Stock Sale.

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WILL SELL AT THE

Cattle Sale Yard, Fort Street,

Thursday, Oct. 10th

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

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120 HEAD

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and a First Class Bull.

Some very fine Horses, &c.

TERMS AT SALE.

Catalogues on morning of sale.

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NOTICE.

Fell & Finlayson's Estate.

PERSONS having claims against the Estate of Fell & Finlayson are requested to send them to the Assignees on or before the 10th instant; and persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to pay their accounts forthwith, to Charles G. Wylly, Esq., (at the office of Mr. Norris, Fort Street), who is hereby authorized to collect accounts.

GEO. J. FINDLAY.
JULES HUEFF.
MATTHEW T. JOHNSTON,
Assignees of the Estate of Fell & Finlayson.

Victoria, 2nd October, 1872. oc6

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Tuesday and Saturday afternoons from 2 until 5 P. M., and on Monday, Thursday and Saturday Evenings, from 7½ until 9½ P. M.

TERMS:

Admission 25cts, Use of Skates 25cts.
Monthly Tickets, Gentlemen, $5 00.
Monthly Tickets, Boys Under 12 years $2 50

The Hall can be secured for the use of Private Skating Parties, on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons, and on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday Evenings.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

RESERVATION OF LANDS IN CHILCOTIN COUNTRY

THE whole of the land in the Valley of the Chilcotin River, extending back on either side of the hill tops, is reserved from the operation of the "Land Ordinance, 1870," until further notice, and pending the location and withdrawal to the Indians of the Lands to be set apart for their use and enjoyment.

By Order in Council.

B. W. PEARSE,
Surveyor General,
for Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 30th August, 1872. au2

NOTICE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,
2nd August, 1872.

(Extract from Rules Relative to Private Bills.)

50. All applications for Private Bills, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of "The British North America Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbour, Canal, Lock, Dam, or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any Joint Stock Company; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the rights or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act,—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application, to be published as follows, viz.:—

A notice inserted in the British Columbia Gazette, and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.

51. Before any Petition praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge, is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such Bill, shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding Rule, also, at the same time, and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

CHARLES GOOD,
Clerk of the Legislative Assemb'y.
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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
30th August, 1872.

WHEREAS by a Notice from the Colonial Secretary's Office, dated the 14th July, 1869, the Districts of North and South Saanich were created a School District, under the title of "The Saanich School District;

And whereas it is advisable to alter the boundaries of the said District;

And whereas provision is made in Section 6 of "The Public School Act, 1872," for the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to alter the boundaries of existing School Districts;

Notice is hereby given, that the boundaries of the said Saanich School District are hereby altered as follows:—

The Saanich School District shall comprise all that District known on the Official Map as South Saanich, and such portion of the District known as North Saanich as lies between a straight line drawn from Saanich Arm to Bazan Bay, along the centre of the road crossing the District at Brown's Farm, and the boundary of the District of South Saanich, as laid down on the Official Map of the said District.

By Command,
A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
au4 *Provincial Secretary.*

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
29th August, 1872.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is empowered under "The Public School Act, 1872," to create School Districts in addition to those already existing and to define the boundaries thereof: it is hereby notified that His Excellency has been pleased to create an additional School District on the Islands known, severally, as Gabriola and Mudge, which have been incorporated, under the name of the "Gabriola School District."

By Command,
A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
se4 *Provincial Secretary.*

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ALEX. MUNRO.
Victoria, B. C. 7th, August, 1872. au6 1m

Notice.

ALL PERSONS INTERESTED in getting up races to take place on the day of the Provincial Agricultual Show, October 10th, will please attend a meeting at the Grotto Saloon, Government street, on Wednesday Sept. 18th at 4 o'clock P. M. au17

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TWO GOOD WORK HORSES FOR sale.

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INFORMATION WANTED.

OF JOHN CLEMENTS, who left the township of Euphonia, Ont., Dominion of Canada, in May, 1859, for British Columbia; his last letter to his family bears date, Discovery Claim, Big Bend, French Creek, 1866; came from Antioo to Big Bend. Any information regarding him communicated to this office, will be thankfully received and forwarded to his family, who are mourning over the grave of their eldest daughter, and cry for the return of the husband and the father. se7 d&w

Notice.

THE VICTORIA ARM BRIDGE will be closed to traffic and foot passengers on and after the 19th August, inst. for about 14 days.

GEO. A. WALKEM,
Chief Commissioner Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department,
August, 10th, 1872. au12

Capt William Irving, Deceased

TAKE NOTICE that all Claims against William Irving, late of New Westminster, deceased, are to be sent in to the Executors, Mrs. Irving and Mr. John Irving, and Mr. John Irving will collect all debts due to the Estate.

DRAKE & JACKSON,
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Mainland Guardian Copy. au24

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

WHEREAS by a Notice, under date of 27th April, 1872, and signed by Geo. A. Walkem, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Tenders for the construction of Graving Dock, at Esquimalt, were invited to be sent in, addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, on or before noon of the 15th November, 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the time for sending in such Tenders has been and is hereby extended until noon of the 21st December next.

By Command,
B. W. PEARSE,
Surveyor General.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 19th September, 1872. se23

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

APPOINTMENT.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
September 17th, 1872.

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to place DANIEL LINDSAY, Esquire, on the Commission of the Peace for the Province of British Columbia.

By Command,
A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
se23 *Provincial Secretary.*

PROCLAMATION.

[L.S.] JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of the Legislature or Parliament, of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, on Friday, the Eleventh day of October next, to have been commenced and held, and every of you,—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

J. F. McCREIGHT, *Attorney-General.* } WHEREAS the meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of the Province of British Columbia, stands called for Friday, the Eleventh day of October next, at which time, at Our City of Victoria, you were held and constrained to appear:

NOW KNOW YE that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid; hereby convoking, and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, that on TUESDAY, the SEVENTEENTH day of the month of DECEMBER next, you meet Us in Our Legislature, or Parliament, of the said Province, at Our City of Victoria, for the DISPATCH OF BUSINESS, to treat, do, act, and conclude upon those things which in Our Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, by the Common Council of Our said Province may, by the favor of God, be ordained.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honorable JOSEPH WILLIAM TRUTCH, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province, in Our City of Victoria in Our said Province, this Eighteenth day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, and in the thirty-sixth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
RICHARD WOODS,
se25 *Registrar Supreme Court.*

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